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From: Fitzgerald, Rebecca@Waterboards [Rebecca.Fitzgerald@waterboards.ca.gov]
Sent: 3/28/2019 4:38:34 PM
To: Smith, DavidW [Smith.DavidW@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Discuss CV-Salts?

Hi Dave,

I haven't forgotten about you. While I haven't been following the CV-Salts project, I believe our irrigated lands program team has been. I've forwarded your email and we'll work on setting up a time to talk.

Best,
Rebecca

From: Smith, DavidW [mailto:Smith.DavidW@epa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 21, 2019 10:27 AM
To: Fitzgerald, Rebecca@Waterboards <Rebecca.Fitzgerald@waterboards.ca.gov>
Cc: Mitchell, Matthew <Mitchell.Matthew@epa.gov>; Stephen Maurano <maurano.stephen@epa.gov>
Subject: Discuss CV-Salts?

Hi Rebecca- I hope this finds you doing well.

I'm writing to request the opportunity to discuss the pending action on CV-Salts that I understand you and your staff are working on for potential Board action perhaps later in the Spring. We send several comments to the RB during their comment period that were only partially addressed, and similar comments to State Board during your comment period. Some of these are significant issues, e.g.:

- what of these actions are Water Quality Standards requiring EPA action?
- what of these actions are variances or variance authorizing provisions?
- do exceptions make sense here or would another term be better?

We'd like to talk with you folks pretty soon so we can make sure to be aligned and supportive when it comes time for a final action.

Perhaps we could schedule something next couple of weeks. Please let me know how your availability looks. BTW, you may have heard that Stephen Maurano will be moving to NMFS next month, and Matt Mitchell is taking over many of his duties.

Best regards,
Dave

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